

# STIC Biotechnology Systems Branch

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## CRF Problem Report

The Biotechnology Systems Branch of the Scientific and Technical Information Center (STIC) experienced a problem when processing the following computer readable form (CRF):

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### Nature of CRF Problem:

- (circle one) Damaged or Unreadable (for Unreadable, see attached)  
 Blank (no files on CRF) (see attached)  
 Empty file (filename present, but no bytes in file) (see attached)  
 Wrong file saved to CRF (invention title, docket number, or applicant(s) do not match those in official application) (see attached)  
 Not saved in ASCII text  
 Sequence Listing was embedded in the file. According to Sequence Rules, submitted file should **only** be the Sequence Listing.  
 Did not contain a Sequence Listing. (see attached sample)  
 Other:

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**PLEASE USE THE CHECKER VERSION 4.4.0 PROGRAM TO REDUCE ERRORS.**  
**SEE BELOW FOR ADDRESS:**

<http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/pac/checker/chkrnote.htm>

1. EFS-Bio (<<http://www.uspto.gov/ebc/efs/downloads/documents.htm>>, EFS Submission User Manual - ePAVE)
2. U.S. Postal Service: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
3. Hand Carry, Federal Express, United Parcel Service, or other delivery service (EFFECTIVE 01/14/05):  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Mail Stop Sequence, Customer Window, Randolph Building, 401 Dulany Street, Alexandria, VA 22314

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(sample of submitted file) 10/588,555-

C:\WINDOWS>A:

A:>>DIR

Volume in drive A has no label  
Directory of A:\

01-SQL~1.TXT 60,766 08-04-06 2:30p 01-SQ Listing-04 Aug 2006.txt  
1 file(s) 60,766 bytes  
0 dir(s) 1,396,736 bytes free

A:>>TYPE 01-SQL~.TXT

File not found - 01-SQL~.TXT

A:>>TYPE 01-SQL~1.TXT

Read fault error reading drive A  
Abort, Retry, Fail?

← Onscreen message when STICPC tried to read submitted file